

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of ) **MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**  
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Application No.: 10/551,820 ) Examiner: M. L. MCCORMICK  
Filed: February 10, 2006 ) Confirmation No.: 3987  
For: COMPOSITION FOR PREVENTING )  
OR TREATING ALLERGIC DISEASE )  
USING BLACK RICE EXTRACT AND )  
ITS THERAPEUTIC USE )

**AMENDMENT AND REPLY**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 24, 2007, this paper is timely filed on June 25, 2007, because June 24, 2007 was a Sunday. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: